ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A testing method is used to perform a test of an information notification service function of a switching apparatus which can provide the information notification service in compliance with 5 a predetermined information notification service specification. The testing method comprises a step of performing an information notification service function between a testing apparatus which can 10 emulate a plurality of types of information reception terminals for different information notification service specifications and the switching apparatus which can connect a subscriber side two-wire in a subscriber line circuit in the 15 switching apparatus to the testing apparatus.